Your community. **Your foundation.**



Field of Interest Fund

Threshold to grant: \$100,000



Profile: Citizen Culture

Authentic, beyond-the-classroom experiences – this is the innovative programming that's been offered to local students through the Citizen Culture program. Support was provided by a trio of Field of Interest funds: the Alfred Edward Hathaway Petrie Memorial Fund, Beryl Ivey Endowment for the Arts and Beryl Ivey Endowment for the Environment.

What cause is closest to your heart – health and wellness, community services, education, arts, culture and heritage, the environment, or something completely different?

A Field of Interest Fund helps you target gifts to address an issue area that you feel is important to community life, with granting that lasts forever. Your gifts are invested in perpetuity, and you can start with a gift of any size. Once the fund capital reaches \$100,000, earnings on the invested assets are available for granting each year, with granting decisions made by LCF's Grants Committee.

We make it easy for you to establish your own fund. By becoming a Field of Interest fundholder, you have the opportunity to:

- Create a named fund. You can name the fund for you, a loved one, your family or your business.
- Select the issue area you'd like to support forever.
- o Give now or through a gift in your will.
- Donate cash, appreciated securities, life insurance or other assets.
- o Invite your family, friends and colleagues to contribute to your fund to help grow the capital and have an even bigger impact in the community.

We're always happy to hear from you and provide further information. Please contact:

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